AIR QUALITY PERMIT NOTICE

Draft Conditional Major Operation F-06-022 Superior Battery Manufacturing Company, Inc. Source I.D. 21-207-00019

The Superior Battery Manufacturing Company, Inc, has applied to the Kentucky Division for Air Quality for a permit to operate a lead-acid battery plan at 2515 Hwy 910, Russell Springs, Kentucky. The plant is classified as a Conditional Major source due to its having potential emissions of criteria and hazardous air pollutants and regulated air pollutants greater than a major source threshold. This permit contains practically enforceable limitations to restrict this source's potential emissions to less than a major source threshold.

An electronic copy of the draft permit should shortly become available at http://www.air.ky.gov/permitting/. Copies of the draft permit and relevant supporting information are available for inspection by the public during normal business hours at the following locations:

Division for Air Quality, 803 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601; Division for Air Quality London Regional Office, 875 S. Main St, London, KY and the Russell County Clerks Office, 410 Monument Square, Jamestown, KY 42629 The Division is soliciting comments on the draft permit and affording the opportunity for a public hearing. To be considered, any written comments or requests for a public hearing must be postmarked within 30 days following the date of this notice. Comments and/or public hearing requests should be sent to Mr. James Morse at the above Frankfort address. Any person who requests a public hearing must state the issues to be raised at the hearing. If the Division finds that a hearing will contribute to the decision-making process by clarifying significant issues affecting the draft permit, a hearing will be announced. All relevant comments will be considered in issuing the final permit. Further information can be obtained by calling Sreenivas Kesaraju at (502) 573-3382 or email at Sreenivas.Kesaraju@ky.gov.

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